

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/826,078  
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Applicant: Hrabanus Hack et al.  
Group Art Unit: 1791  
Examiner: Jason L. Lazorcik  
Title: Flame Hydrolysis Process For The Manufacture Of Glass  
Bodies Of Doped Silica Glass  
Attorney Docket: 4965-000180

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 28, 2008, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.